

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims

For the ease of the Examiner, all pending claims are reproduced below. No amendment to the claims has been made. Claims 1-31, 39-45, and 50-51 were previously cancelled.

1-31. (Cancelled)

32. (Original) An inkjet printhead cartridge comprising a container of ink, an area having orifices through which ink is ejected from said container during printing, a reservoir of printhead servicing fluid matched for use with said ink and an applicator for applying a reproducible quantity of said servicing fluid onto a printhead wiper which wipes said orifices during relative movement of said printhead and wiper.

33. (Original) The cartridge of Claim 32, wherein said servicing fluid is impregnated in a porous material filling said reservoir.

34. (Original) The cartridge of Claim 33, wherein said applicator comprises a wick in fluid communication with said porous material, said wick having a fluid dispensing surface positioned for applying said fluid to a wiper which subsequently wipes said orifices.

35. (Original) The cartridge of Claim 34, wherein said wick has substantially greater capillary attraction force than said porous material.

36. (Original) The cartridge of Claim 35, wherein said porous material is an open cell rigid foam block.

37. (Original) The cartridge of Claim 34, wherein said cartridge is refillable.

38. (Original) The cartridge of Claim 34, wherein said cartridge is disposable.

39-45. (Cancelled)

46. (Original) A method of servicing an inkjet printhead comprising applying a reproducible quantity of servicing fluid to said printhead by causing mutual movement of said printhead and a resilient fluid applicator and wiping said printhead to remove said fluid from said printhead.

47. (Original) The method of Claim 46, comprising moving said printhead to engage said applicator.

48. (Original) The method of Claim 47, comprising engaging a flexible applicator by contact with said printhead to release said fluid onto said printhead.

49. (Original) The method of Claim 47, comprising moving a flexible applicator by contact with said printhead to cause said applicator to apply said fluid onto a wiper and moving said printhead with respect to said wiper to wipe said printhead.

50-51. (Cancelled)